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Examiner: Sharlene L. Leurig

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**REMARKS** 

Restriction requirement

Responsive to the restriction notice dated June 3, 2005 received in the above

application, Applicants hereby elect the claims of Group II (claims 9-15) to be maintained

in this application for examination.

Amendment of the specification

The specification has been amended to correct a typographical error wherein a "+"

symbol was omitted in the description of the shape of the supporting spacer. It is

respectfully submitted that this amendment does not introduce new matter, because the

"+" shape of the supporting spacer is readily apparent from Fig. 3.

Amendment of the claims

Claims 1-8, relating to the non-elected group, have been cancelled. Additionally,

claim 12 was amended to correct a typographical error.

Conclusion

If any issues remain that may be resolved by a telephone or facsimile

communication with the Applicant's attorney, the Examiner is invited to contact the

undersigned at the numbers shown.

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